UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

FAROD K. WESTERFIELD #385400,

| Petitioner, | | |
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| | | File No: 1:08-CV-610 |
| v. | | |
| CADMEN DALMED | | HON. ROBERT HOLMES BELI |
| CARMEN PALMER, | | |
| Respondent. | | |
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ORDER APPROVING AND ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On September 22, 2009, Magistrate Judge Joseph G. Scoville issued a Report and Recommendation ("R&R") recommending that Petitioner Farod K. Westerfield's petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be denied. (Dkt. No. 32, R&R.) The R&R was duly served on the parties. Petitioner's request for a ninety-day extension of time to file objections was granted in part and denied in part, and he was granted thirty-days from November 3, 2009, to file his objections to the R&R. (Dkt. No. 34, 11/3/2009 Order.) Movant's motion for reconsideration of the length of the extension was denied. (Dkt. No. 36, 11/18/2009 Order.) To date Petitioner has not filed any objections to the R&R. The matter is now ready for consideration. The Court has reviewed the R&R and is satisfied with its disposition of the case. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the R&R (Dkt. No. 32) is APPROVED and ADOPTED as the opinion of the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's petition for writ of habeas corpus

pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (Dkt. No. 1) is **DENIED**.

Dated: January 11, 2010 /s/ Robert Holmes Bell

ROBERT HOLMES BELL UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE